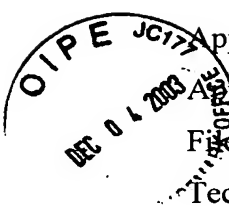


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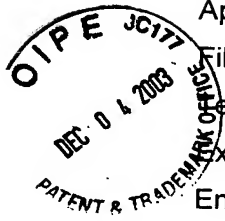
Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 30, 2003 for the above-identified application, amendments and/or remarks submitted herewith include:

- Amendments to the Abstract of the Disclosure;
- A complete claim listing; and
- Remarks and arguments.

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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

No extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is believed necessary.

CLAIM FEES

The claim fees have been calculated as follows:

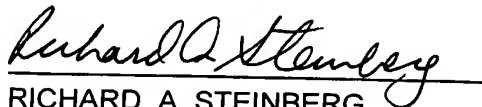
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Independent	3	-	3	= 0 x \$ 84.00	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM+ \$ 280.00					= \$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE					\$ 0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge any deficiencies in the fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 03-3975.

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